I would like to urge you to keep morse code as a requirement for obtaining a Ham Radio license. We certainly do not need a world wide CB band, which is just about what it would become without the Morse Code requirement. Anyone wanting to become a ham should be willing to, at the very least, learn morse code enough to pass a 5 wpm exam. My 14 year old son learned it in less than 2 weeks at about 15 minutes every other day.